

Chapter 1 : Rural Missouri - DECEMBER - Tall Tales

Me and Uncle Mike and the 3-Toed Bear. Book 1. Written by Dannel Roberts. Illustrated by Lonnie Tapia. Copywrite(C) The 3-Toed Bear is a large hard backed book.

Dannel Roberts stretches childhood memories into fanciful stories for children by Bob McEowen Dannel Roberts tells one of his tall tales to children in a second grade class at Blair Oaks Elementary School in Wardsville. The boys battle a crocodile and outsmart a renegade goat who guards a bridge in the tradition of Billy Goat Gruff. They even create the first polar bear when they defeat a marauding grizzly and pull his insides out. Grizzlies are white on the inside, you know. Of course, the real Dannel and Mike did none of these things growing up near Lancaster. All of them he embellished, adding a few jokes and the occasional tall tale. When Mike heard the stories he encouraged his brother to publish them. In Dannel and Mike mortgaged their houses, hired an illustrator and formed their own company, Lions, Tigers and Bears Publications. In "Me and Uncle Mike and the Pirate Ship," the second book in the series, the narrator and his brother defeat a band of pirates and capture their ship. Along the way children reading the book learn some fanciful facts that, of course, are not true. They follow the bear for 26 miles across a mile-wide river and over the top of Mount Everest. After two hours of hard tracking they find their prey. Their slingshots only wake the ferocious bear and the two must flee for their lives. Later a lost Christopher Columbus arrives asking for directions. He hears polar bears and the rest is history. They convinced on-line bookseller Amazon. Dannel found greater success through book signing appearances in stores and by reading to children in area schools. Like the first installment, the new books contain exploits that would make Paul Bunyan or Pecos Bill proud. Each of the books contains subtle references and details that are easily overlooked. Dad will read more to them. The parents bought a copy of the book but eventually tired of reading it. When they hid the book away in a closet the child went to the library and checked it out himself. Of course he says the same thing about the puller bears. In any case, Dannel seems to have found a market for his homespun tales of adventure. Excerpts from the books can be found on-line at www.

Chapter 2 : - Me And Uncle Mike And The 3-toed Bear by Dannel Roberts

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There are 16, full page, full color illustrations. The words are the large 36 point text, so they are easy to read. The paper used in printing is a high quality coated stock. This book is Smythe Sewn, the best binding on the market. The 3-Toed Bear will last for many years. Each illustration is a work of art. You can see some of the quality and detail even at that size. Then of course the story. Me and Uncle Mike go to Montana and meet a big, old, grizzly bear that only has 3 toes on one foot. Read on and see what we do with this bear. Back when I was a kid one of my best friends was Uncle Mike. He was a little older than I was. We used to have a lot of fun doing things together. One day Uncle Mike taught me how to shoot a slingshot. We did a lot of practicing until we were pretty good. One day we were called upon to use our slingshots. One time out in Montana there was a big, old, grizzly bear. He was not an ordinary bear. This bear only had 3 toes on one foot. So he ended up being the meanest bear in Montana. Any time anybody saw a bear track with only 3 toes, they left the woods because they were scared. For years this bear would get up in the morning, snag a moose and eat it for breakfast. Later on around noon, he would grab a buffalo and eat it for lunch. Then in the evening, he would chase down an elk and eat it for supper. After dark, if the 3-toed grizzly bear was still hungry, he would catch a big, fat, old bobcat and eat it for a snack. One morning the old 3-toed grizzly bear got up and decided to try something different. So he started eating cows, and he liked them. They were milking cows to boot. So the bear got milk but nobody else did. Everybody complained to the governor. So he got a posse of the best bear hunters and trackers in the world to go after this 3-toed grizzly bear. They tracked that bear into the woods, but they never came back. Nobody knows what happened to that posse. They probably got ate. They called me and Uncle Mike. So we loaded up our MK61, laser guided, heat seeking, automatic slingshots. Then we got on our bikes and headed out. It took over an hour to get to Montana. They were so excited to see us, that they were going to throw us a parade. So Uncle Mike said, "Cancel the parade and show me that bear. It was the last place the bear had chowed a cow. All we found was a tail, a horn, a cowbell, and a big old track. Guess whose track this was? After we saw that track, everyone else turned around and ran back to town except for me and Uncle Mike. We had a job to do. We packed up our slingshots and off we went. We got out our trail map to plot our course. Then we started tracking. We tracked that bear through the Great Bear Wilderness. We tracked that bear across a river that was over a mile wide. We tracked that bear over the top of Mount Everest. We tracked that bear over 26 miles. Then after a total of 2 hours of hard tracking, we caught up to him. There he was, sleeping on a log. So me and Uncle Mike picked up a couple of rocks, each about the size of a chicken egg. So we had to get closer. We got very quiet and snuck up on him. We were about 10 feet away. We loaded up our slingshots with those rocks and took careful aim. We pulled back as far as we could. Then we let those rocks fly. I nailed him in the side and Uncle Mike hit him right square in the head. It seems all we did was wake him up and make him mad. Boy, was he ever mad! He stood up on his hind legs and just roared. It was time to leave. We turned around and took off. If you want to find out what happens to Me and Uncle Mike then you will have to order the 3-Toed Bear. There are 12 more pages. The best is yet to come. This book seems to work best for children ages 3 - 8. If you have a child in that age group you may want to read what we have online to them. Watch how it will captivate their imagination. The book in hand will even do more. Thousands of children are already enjoying this book. The 3-Toed Bear soon becomes their favorite book. Be ready to read it again and again.

Chapter 3 : www.nxgvision.com: Customer reviews: Me and Uncle Mike and the 3-Toed Bear

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Our business history We have been in business since Dannel comes from a long line of storytellers. He was born in and was raised in the state of Missouri. Dannel liked the outdoors, hunting, fishing, motorcycling, and sports. He later went on to graduate from Truman State University in Dannel met his wife Martha while in college. After they were married they moved to Central Missouri and had four child. Martha and Dannel bought hundreds of books for their children and spent many hours reading to them. One day Dannel was telling a real story about himself and his brother Mike "Uncle Mike". Then to add some extra fun to these stories Dannel started mixing in jokes, people, places and things that were out of character and out of context. His children loved this. Dannel continued telling these stories to his extended family, where he discovered adults loved these stories as well as children. With the encouragement of friends and family, Dannel now publishes his work. His real name is Mike Roberts. The two brothers had many experiences they shared as they grew up together. Uncle Mike lives in Northern Missouri with his wife, Connie. Uncle Mike has been a major force in getting the "Me and Uncle Mike" series published. He has helped with the editing, formatting, illustrating, and promotion of the series. We have tried to make "Uncle Mike" that older brother that was always there when you needed him, even though he might have been the cause of the problem. Our books will have grizzly bears, polar bear, elks, moose, buffalos, bob cats, alligators, crocodiles, pirates, anaconda snakes, billy goats, gorillas, turkey buzzards, T-rexs, sheep, kangaroos, jack rabbits, big foot, cowboys, Indians, alligator snapping turtles, eagles, hawks, volcanoes, roosters, monsters, bull fights, spy missions, leopards, beluga whales, cattle drives, and anything else that will entertain children.

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